

[Jan 8 1813]

Sir

I received the Queen's command  
 to call upon the Duke of Leeds on  
 the instant of my arrival in town -  
 and to inform Your Royal High-  
 ness that Her Majesty had been  
 pleas'd to give me that direction  
 I will not wait till tomorrow eve  
 I inform Your Royal Highness  
 that the D<sup>ch</sup> has a confident  
 hope that she may be able to  
 fulfil Your Royal Highness's  
 wishes, notwithstanding this tem-  
 porary ailment - She is some-  
 what better this evening, and  
 will be better still, I trust, for  
 some means which will procure

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In rest & night — The fact is,  
her anxiety to obey the flattering  
commands & the Queen gave  
her yesterday has deprived <sup>her</sup> of  
rest — and she has felt a pain-  
ful fear lest her health might  
not be equal to the constant  
attention which so high a  
trust will demand — She seems  
encouraged, however, by my  
assurances, and by a confidence  
in the indulgence which your  
Royal Highness's good nature  
is sure to accord her.

I am, Sir, most devotedly

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your Royal Highness's faithful  
servant

Henry Bulford

Friday night.

